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SUBJECT: REUTER ITEM ON MEA HIJACK

REUTER REPORT THAT MIDDLE EAST AIRLINES BOEING 707 WITH  
105 (ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE) PASSENGERS ABOARD FLYING FROM  
BEIRUT TO BAGHDAD HAS BEEN HIJACKED AND IS NOW ON THE  
GROUND IN KUWAIT. PLEASE INVESTIGATE WHETHER ANY AMERICANS  
ARE ABOARD AND LET THE DEPARTMENT KNOW IMMEDIATELY. CHRISTOPHER

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